

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF LOGANVILLE, GEORGIA, PART II – CODE OF ORDINANCES, SUBPART A – GENERAL ORDINANCES, CHAPTER 10 – BUSINESS, ARTICLE VI. – PEDDLER’S LICENSE, SECTION 10-228 – APPLICATION FOR AND ISSUANCE OF PEDDLER’S LICENSE.

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LOGANVILLE HEREBY ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

**ARTICLE I.**

The Code of Ordinances of the City of Loganville, Georgia, Part II – Code of Ordinances, Subpart A – General Ordinances, Chapter 10 – Business, Article VI. – Peddler’s License, Section 10-228. – Application for and issuance of peddler’s license is hereby amended by implementing the below text amendment as follows, wherein underlined sections are added, and stricken sections are being removed.

**Sec. 10-228. Application for and issuance of peddler’s license.**

- (a) Every peddler, as defined in the preceding section, shall be required to obtain a license as required by this article.
- (b) Any person desiring to peddle any goods, wares, foodstuffs, or merchandise of any kind shall make petition to the ~~mayor and council~~ city manager, describing the article to be peddled and the period for which the license is requested.
- (c) Application for a peddler license shall be made on the forms provided by the city and shall contain the following information:
  - (1) The name and permanent address of the applicant;
  - (2) The name and permanent address of the applicant's registered agent for service of process;
  - (3) If a vehicle is to be used, a brief description of the vehicle, including the license number or other means of identification of such vehicle;
  - (4) A photograph of the applicant taken within 60 days prior to the date of filing the application, which photograph shall be two inches by two inches, showing the head and shoulders of the applicant in a clear manner;
  - (5) A statement whether the applicant has been convicted of any crime and, if so, the nature of the offense and the penalty assessed for such offense;
  - (6) The fingerprints of the applicant and the names of at least two reliable property owners within the county who will certify as to the applicant's good character and business responsibility, or in lieu of the names of references, any other available evidence as to the good character and business responsibility of the applicant as will enable an investigator designated by the city to properly evaluate the applicant's character and business responsibility;
  - (7) If the applicant is a corporation, the names and addresses of the current corporate officers, the registered office of the corporation, and a duly attested corporate resolution acknowledging the authority of the corporation to transact the type of business as set forth in the application;

- (8) If the applicant is a corporation or form of business other than a sole proprietorship, the names and addresses of all employees who will engage in the occupation of peddler on behalf of the corporation. All information for the application for a license as enumerated in subsections (c)(3)—(6) of this section shall be provided for each such employee;
  - (9) A description of the article or articles to be peddled;
  - (10) The address of the proposed business location or a description of the area to be canvassed; and
  - (11) The period for which the license is requested.
  - (12) If the application for a peddler's license is for the sale of "ready to eat food" as defined by the Georgia Department of Environmental Health, then said application must have attached to it the applicant's approved Mobile Food Service Establishment (MFSE) or Mobile Food Service Unit (MFSU) permit from its county of origin for the MFSE/MFSU that will be operating under the City's peddlers permit.
- (d) *Regulatory fee.* Application shall be accompanied by a nonrefundable regulatory fee as set forth in the schedule of fees and charges.
  - (e) *Location authorization.* Applications for a peddler's license also shall contain written authorization for the use by the peddler of the designated premises. Peddlers may sell and display their goods, wares, foodstuffs, or merchandise only upon private property with the permission of the property owner upon compliance with the other provisions of this article.
  - (f) *Investigation.* The petition shall be referred to the city official designated by the ~~mayor~~ city manager, who shall investigate the same and promptly report his findings to the ~~mayor and council~~ city manager, who in the exercise of due regard for the preservation of the public health, peace and good order, as well as the proper regulation of trade in the city, shall grant or refuse such application, and shall fix the period of the license in each particular case.
  - (g) *Disapproval.* If, as a result of such investigation, the applicant's character or business responsibility is found to be unsatisfactory or required information is lacking, the ~~mayor and council~~ city manager shall note disapproval on the application, as well as their reasons that no license will be issued. The investigator will forward the denial to the applicant.
  - (h) *Approval.* If, as a result of such investigation, the character and business responsibility of the applicant are found to be satisfactory, the ~~mayor and council~~ city manager will endorse approval on the application and execute a license addressed to the applicant. Upon payment of the prescribed license fee, the investigator shall deliver the license to the applicant. The city manager or designee shall keep a permanent record of all licenses issued.
  - (i) *Transferability.* No license issued under the provisions of this article shall be used at any time by any person other than the person to whom it was issued.
  - (j) *Expiration.* All annual licenses issued under the provisions of this article shall expire on December 31 in the year when issued. Other licenses shall expire on the date specified in the license.
  - (k) *Food Peddler Locations.* Any peddler issued a license under this Article for the sale of "ready to eat food" as defined by the Georgia Department of Environmental Health shall only be permitted to operate under said license at locations in the city that are zoned non-residential.

(Ord. No. 10-225, § 5, 3-8-2012)

**ARTICLE II.**

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

**ARTICLE III.**

This ordinance shall take effect from and after its adoption by the Mayor and Council of the City of Loganville, Georgia.

**READ AND ADOPTED, this 11th day of September, 2025.**

**CITY OF LOGANVILLE, GEORGIA**

**By: \_\_\_\_\_ (SEAL)**

**Skip Baliles, Mayor**

**Attest: \_\_\_\_\_ (SEAL)**

**Kristi Ash, Deputy Clerk**